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## Viewing cable 05NEWDELHI6994, INDIA-EU,UK SUMMITS: THE SINCEREST FORM OF FLATTERY

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Reference ID	Created	Released	Classification	Origin
05NEWDELHI6994	2005-09-09 14:40	2011-08-30 01:44	CONFIDENTIAL	Embassy New Delhi

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<http://www.thehindu.com/news/the-india-cables/article1554099.ece>

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SUBJECT: INDIA-EU,UK SUMMITS: THE SINCEREST FORM OF FLATTERY

REF: A. NEW DELHI 4226 B. NEW DELHI 6974

Classified By: A/DCM Geoff Pyatt for Reasons 1.4 (B, D)

**1.** (U) Summary: Tony Blair wrapped up two days of EU and UK summits on September 8, leaving behind an EU-India joint action plan, British and EU Strategic Partnership  
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**12.** (SBU) Manmohan Singh identified as "the most important outcome" of the September 7 EU discussions an (overly) comprehensive 21-page Joint EU-SAARC exchanges on regional cooperation;  
-- A commitment to seek "initiatives to promote human rights and democracy;"  
-- Consultation on peacekeeping, including "exchange of trainees and instructors" between peacekeeping training centers, reflecting the Italian  
-- Cooperation to reduce terrorist financing and money laundering;  
-- A High-level Trade Group to increase bilateral economic ties;  
-- Launch of an India-EU Initiative on Clean Development and Climate Change to include voluntary measures to promote cleaner technologies;  
-- Creation of Energy Panel Working Groups in Energy Efficiency, Coal, and Fusion (including India's membership in ITER); -- Concluding a framework for Indian participation in Galileo.

**13.** (U) Indian pundits focused on the EU backing of India's participation in ITER and the Galileo framework agreement as the most significant Political Cooperation  
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**14.** (U) The EU and India committed to establishing a security dialogue on disarmament, nonproliferation, and regional and global security issues  
Trade Disputes Mar Bonhomie  
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**15.** (U) In contrast to the summit-level camaraderie, a business leaders' meeting featuring EU Trade Commissioner Peter Mandelson and Indian Ministers  
UK Offers Heightened Cooperation  
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**16.** (U) Blair's second day in India was devoted to a bilateral UK-India summit. Following their huddle in Udaipur, where terrorism was again EU3 and Iran: Germany's Turn  
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**17.** (C) Following hot on the heels of the EU summit, Germany's point-person on Iran nuclear negotiations, Michael Schaefer, visited New Delhi  
Comment: India Rising, and Reaffirming its Values  
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**18.** (C) The EU-India accords in large measure echo the July 18 US-India joint statement and bilateral working groups, and reaffirm the global

**19.** (U) Visit New Delhi's Classified Website: (<http://www.state.sgov/p/sa/newdelhi>)

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